

What is claimed is:

1. A method for storing an audio file and listening to said audio file via the Internet, said method comprising:

a means for storing an audio file in digital memory;

5 a means for transferring said audio file to an Internet access node;

a means for controlling said transfer;

wherein said means for transferring said audio file formats said audio message for output into humanly perceivable form.

10 2. An apparatus for storing audio files and transferring said audio files to the Internet comprising:

a digital information storage device;

a transfer means;

an Internet access node;

15 wherein said digital information storage device stores phonemes indicative of audio and wherein said transfer means formats said digital information for output in humanly perceivable form via said Internet access node.